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Sir:

Pursuant to Rule 136(a), Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) the Commissioner for an extension of time into the two month after the response due date, i.e., until November 1, 2007, for responding to the Office Action mailed June 1, 2007.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee set by 37 CFR §1.17 of \$460.00 for the Petition for Extension of Time and for any underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

Respectfully submitted,

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